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Chairman's Message

Last month in Tattersall's we saw the formation of yet another section within our organisation designed to bring together a group of members with a common interest.

This was the Camera Club and it was brought into being by several of our members who count amongst their hobbies a keen interest in photography.

I understand that this section has gotten off to an excellent start and I would like to take this most appropriate opportunity of sincerely congratulating the members involved on their enterprise and enthusiasm, and of wishing their fledgling Camera Club every success for the future.

I feel the formation of this club highlights a most important attribute of Tattersall's which has been apparent throughout our long and interesting history. That is the desire of our members readily to share with each other their interests in their sports and hobbies.

This is a spirit to which we can point with pride, for it is clearly indicative that the bonds of friendship and mutual respect which bind us together are strong indeed.

Perhaps in the future we may have more of these sections formed. Whether we do or not is not necessarily important. What is important is that our members are close enough to each other and their interest in their Club is strong enough for them to want to share their interests within its orbit.

So long as this kind of attitude is alive in Tattersall's, we can look forward to a continuation of the spirit which has made us what we are today.

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club HHMS and views

SUNSHINE CRUISE SANS SUNSHINE

According to those who went on it, the "Sunshine Cruise" on the 'Oriana' was the misnomer of the century, for of the twelve days' duration only one was sunny. However, it takes more than bad weather to dampen the bright spirit of a group of Tattersall's Members when they get together and no less than five of our number went on the cruise. They were Lal Bowden, Sam Block Norm Hinwood, Ivor Stanford and John Vandenberg. Most of the party had their wives along especially John Vandenberg for whom the trip was a honeymoon. Despite the bad weather, it was a most enjoyable trip for all concerned and took in Suva, Port Moresby and Hayman Island. The only jarring note occurred when it was discovered that Lal Bowden's luggage had been left behind on the wharf, but the shipping company had it air freighted to Suva where it arrived up the gang plank per medium of native porters. As far as the weather is concerned, you have the consolation of knowing you wouldn't have fared any better had you stayed in Sydney. We know many residents who will vouch that we didn't even have one sunny day during that time.

FAREWELL DINNER

A farewell dinner was held in the Club recently to mark the departure of Minister for Supply, Mr. Fairhall, on an overseas tour. Mr. Fairhall was joined on the trip by Mr. John Nott which was to take them to Europe on official Government business. Your fellow members sincerely hope that your trip was an enjoyable and successful one, gentlemen.

HONOUR FOR MEMBER

Well known member of Tattersall's Club Mr. J. S. Franks was unanimously re-elected President of the 1964 Australian Catering Exposition. This will be the third term as President for Mr. Franks. He is Chairman and Managing Director of Hobart Manufacturing Co. Pty. Ltd. and a Fellow and Vice-President of the Australasian Hotel & Catering Institute.

TRAVELLING JOELS

One of the "most travelled" Tattersall's families is the Joel clan—Asher, Joe, and Dave.

David is presently in South America on the first leg of an extensive business-cum-pleasure world tour.

Television executive Joe leaves soon on one of his regular trips through the Far East. This time, he plans to visit Manila, Hong Kong, Tokyo, Singapore, Bangkok, Karachi, and Djakarta—as well as Okinawa, Taiwan, Guam and Korea.

Asher—with his political and business commitments—so far remains landlocked in Australia. However, it is rumoured that he, too, is planning a world tour.

ALAN BEVERIDGE RECOVERING

A note from Malcolm Beveridge last month brought news that Tattersall's Members will be delighted to hear. It advised that Malcolm's father, Alan, was recovering nicely from the stroke with which he was recently afflicted. Malcolm said that for a while Alan was deprived of speech but that anyone familiar with his Dad's loquacity would be confident that the lack would only be temporary, which in truth it was. It is good to hear that you're progressing so speedily along the road to recovery, Alan, and we all look forward to the time when you'll be able to pay us a visit and prove in person that you are as verbally and physically active as ever you were.

SICK LIST REPORT

Two of our members recently on the sick list but now recovering nicely are Allan Young and Bunny Durken. Allan spent a couple of weeks in hospital at the Sanitarium at Wahroonga, followed by a similar period at home convalescing but was back in the Club again late last month as hale as ever before. Bunny underwent an operation and although he was not around and about the Club when we went to press, reports were that he was recuperating nicely at home. All your friends at Tattersall's are delighted to know you're progressing so nicely, gentlemen.

COMMITTEEMAN OVERSEAS

Popular Tattersall's Committeeman, Johnnie Norton, left our shores last month for an extensive overseas tour. As most members know, Johnnie is a Commissioner of the Rural Bank and it is on business connected with banking that he makes this important trip. It will take him initially to Vienna where he is to attend the 16th International Banking Summer School. After this Johnnie will visit Britain and from there will go to the United States for the 13th International Management Congress in New York.

Sponsored by the International Committee of Scientific Organisation, the Congress will be attended by bankers and management executives representing one hundred countries. Before leaving Johnnie told us that the theme of the Congress would be "Human Progress Through Better Management"—a subject of undoubted importance to old and emerging nations alike. The Congress will also assess trends in banking, business, technology and social science and their future implications for management. Johnnie, who has occupied practically all the senior administrative positions in the Rural Bank, has a wide experience and background which will undoubtedly make him a valuable de-legate to the Congress. Your friends at Tattersall's wish you a happy, instructive and successful trip, Johnnie, and will all be looking forward to having you back with us in due course.

NO PLACE LIKE HOME

We had a very welcome letter from Harry Bowker who was writing from London on his way round the world. "After travelling all over Europe," says Harry, "I am more definite than ever that there is no place like Australia. I'm leaving for America later in the month by the 'Queen Elizabeth' but believe me when I say that I will be very pleased to return to my native land." Your many friends at Tattersall's will be pleased too Harry, though had you experienced the rainy weather we've had over the last couple of months, you might not have been quite so enthusiastic about returning.

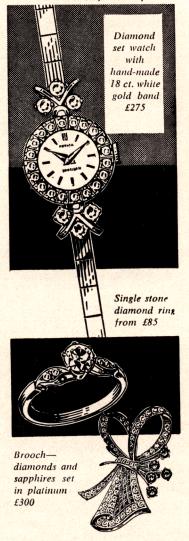
NEWS FROM ISRAEL GREEN

In a postcard to Chairman, Frank Carberry, from Copenhagen, Izzy Green sent his very best wishes to Tattersall's Members. Izzy and his wife, Bella, were by all accounts having a wonderful time. Their leisurely and relaxing progress takes them from Copenhagen to London where they will spend seven weeks before commencing the homeward journey on 'Oronsay.' Glad to know you and your wife are having such an enjoyable time Izzy. We will be looking forward to seeing you on your return, especially our bowling members who we understand miss your skill on the greens sorely.

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FOLLOWING THE SUN

Sydney's weather being what it has been this winter, following the sun up north is a practice to be well recommended. Just to prove how full of merit the suggestion is, no less than twentyseven (count 'em) members that we know of took the trip over recent weeks and, according to all reports, enjoyed their vacations tremendously. At last roll-call the members in question were Joe Harris, Norm Jacobs, Jack Rogan, Phil Wall, John Vandenberg, Ken Ranger, Jack Pick, Dave Alexander, Sam Peters, Alick Buckle, Harry Jones, Ken Williams, Steve Blau, Bert Levey, Alan Kippax, Clarrie Johnson, Bill Sinclair, Leo Moss, Jack O'Neill, Ray Davis, Gordon Booth, Bill Black, Bill Gollan, Alex Gibson, Ron Relton and Mel Watson. Not to be outdone in the sun-chasing stakes, our well-known member, Ray Vaughan, went one better. He took a caravan as far up as Cairns and, when we went to press, was still there. Well, wouldn't you be?

PERCE PILCHER ILL

Veteran (King of the Ledger) bookmaker Perce Pilcher is very sick in Randwick Hospital. Perce, all at Tattersall's look forward to your recovery and to see your cheery self back at the Club shortly.

GRAFTON CUP WIN

We can't let this issue go by without offering our congratulations to Sir James Kirby on his win in the Grafton Cup. It was Home James who carried Sir James' colours to victory in the event—a most appropriate name under the circumstances—at the excellent odds of five to one. Your Club friends wish you many more successes for the future, Sir James.

S.T.C. TREASURERS

Those interested in racing were sorry to hear of the resignation of S.T.C. Treasurer Bill Keighery last month. Bill has done a sterling job in this capacity during recent years. George Ryder steps in to fill the breach and the job is nothing new to him, for he was, in fact, the original Treasurer of the S.T.C. when it was formed. To both members, we offer best wishes for the future.

TO STUDY PRINTING OVERSEAS

Ward. Booth, well-known master printer of this city, and son of veteran member, Gordon Booth, is presently on an overseas trip. Ward will be studying printing techniques and current developments in several countries, including England and Germany. His itinerary is a full one, but he does not plan to be away from Australia for very long. We all wish you a pleasant and successful trip, Ward, and will look forward to seeing you once again on your return.



club NEWS

DOUBLE MISFORTUNE

It was a real pleasure to see Jack Allen back in the Club again after his recent illness. Jack was looking well but far from his usual bright self, as he suffered the severe blow of losing his wife, Nell, who passed away in June. Your Tattersall's friends were shocked to hear the news, Jack, and extend you their deepest sympathy at this time. May your health continue to improve and may time help to heal the wound left by your tragic loss.

THE WINNER

Peter Massingham's wife Dorothy was the national winner of the main-dish section of the Australian Dairy Board's "Bake-off" cooking competition, recently held at the Chevron-Hilton.

Mrs. Massingham—now labelled one of Australia's most talented cooks—is a frequent and appreciative visitor to the fourth-floor, and rates Tattersall's

chef as tops.

Peter Massingham wonders what on earth he is now going to do with some hundreds of pounds worth of new—and duplicated—household equipment, which formed part of Mrs. Massingham's prize.

ANNIVERSARY

Celebrating their wedding anniversary with tete-a-tete dinner in the Club last month were Dick Boulter and his charming wife. Your friends and associates at Tattersall's offer both you and your wife hearty congratulations, Dick, and wish you both many years of health and happiness together.

TROTTING WIN

Congratulations go to Mr. Justice Taylor on his win with his trotter, "Eulogy," at Harold Park last month. According to reports, "Eulogy" has every indication of developing into an excellent Derby chance. We hope so, Judge, and look forward to hearing of his progress towards stardom in the future.

Obituaries

A. J. McDOWELL Elected 22/11/1937 Died 20/6/1963

GEORGE HARPER Elected 28/5/1934 Died 22/6/1963

- E. LYONS Elected 23/8/1923 Died 24/6/1963
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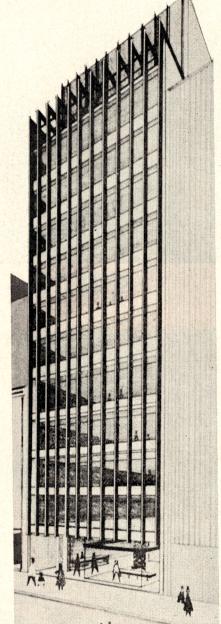
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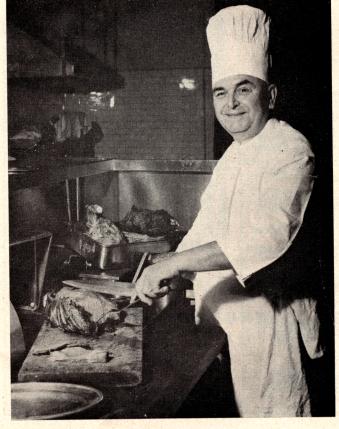
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KNOW-YOUR-STAFF

As members know, the lifeblood of any organisation is its staff. We at Tattersall's can feel proud of ours, for its members give us service and loyalty second to none. So that Club Members, particularly those who have joined us only recently, will know our Club personnel—those who work "behind the scenes" as well as those whose contributions are more obvious—we are running in T.C.M. a series of articles devoted to this subject. Each month some staff members will be featured and their backgrounds and duties highlighted.

This, the first in the series, is devoted to Jim Thomson, our office manager and Steve Tomic our competent chef.

JIM THOMSON

Jim joined Tattersall's staff originally in 1951 and stayed with us for four years. After that time he left to take a position with Mirror Newspapers from which he re-joined Tattersall's in 1957. He then took up the position of Office Manager at the time Mr. Binns took over as Secretary.

Jim was born in Queensland and did his early commercial training as a bank officer in that State. War came then and he spent five and a half years in the army serving with the 7th Division in the Middle East and the Islands.

Jim came to Sydney in the early 50's and has resided here ever since.

STEVE TOMIC

Steve is one staff member many Club members would not know by sight, for as our chef he is truly a "backroom boy." Steve has been in charge of our kitchen since 1949 where he now supervises the cooking and serving of some 2,356 lunches and 2,797 dinners on an average each month. He provides 2,190 buffet meals for the second floor as well and supervises our kitchen staff of fifteen.

Steve has had wide and impressive experience in his profession. He was born in Yugoslavia and came to Australia in 1924 where, prior to the war, he spent twelve years with Ushers Hotel, one with the Australia and one with Cahills Restaurant.

During the war he was chef for General MacArthur's headquarters and also the Red Cross Society. After hostilities and before coming to Tattersall's he was chef for the Lend Lease organisation.



WINOOKA TROPHY — Second Round

Peter Lindsay was the star performer this month. In his second round match against Norman Rogers Peter won 44/42. This was the most exciting finish to any match this series. At one stage towards the end it looked certain that Norman would win as he led 40/39. However Peter put his head down and stern up and got stuck into it and as a result drew level at 40/40. Then they really began going for the winners with Peter gaining the Upper Hand with the score at 44/42. A very good match and both men deserve great praise.

Ralph Davies played very consistently to defeat Bob Adams 41/38. This was another one of those close matches and looked certain to be an advantage game. Ralph broke through at the right time and won by 3 points. Geoff Clifton-Smith proved to be too strong for Jim Comans winning 41/34. Geoff is very consistent and a steady player and will take no end of beating in this competition.

Another excellent match was between Gus Bartlett and Bruce Cameron. Gus won 41/36 and I can assure you that it was a very good win. The handicaps were Gus, scratch, Bruce +25. It was the first time that I have seen this man play. Bruce had already caused one boil-over by defeating Bruce Partridge in a mighty match and my thoughts were that with his handicap he would be the winner. I had no cause to alter my opinion when the score stood at Cameron 35, Bartlett 25. From then onwards Gus simply played handball out of this world. I have not watched a

player being so good and consistent for a long time. He drew level at 35, went ahead at 36/35. Cameron then won a point and levelled at 36/36, and then Bartlett won five more points to run out as the winner, 41/36. The point I would like to make is that all the time Bruce Cameron played like an A Grade player. It was just that Gus was so good on the day. A mighty match, and congratulations to them for something worth watching.

John Dexter was too strong for John Brice. He won 41/32. Robert Lipman

showed Paul Blake no mercy in his match. Robert scored 41 whilst Paul could only manage 2 or 3 points. Robert's view is that if players of Paul's ability are to improve then the better players should give their best against them. I am sure that Paul will improve tremendously very quickly.

Ken Humphery showed great improvement to defeat Robert Lane 41/22. Both players have shown great improvement over the last few weeks and it was a very good game. Both men enjoyed themselves immensely.

Come along to

"A Night on the Snowy"

to be held in the

Club Dining Room

on

THURSDAY, 22nd AUGUST

Cocktail Bar Opens 5 p.m.

Dinner from 7.15 to 8.45 p.m.

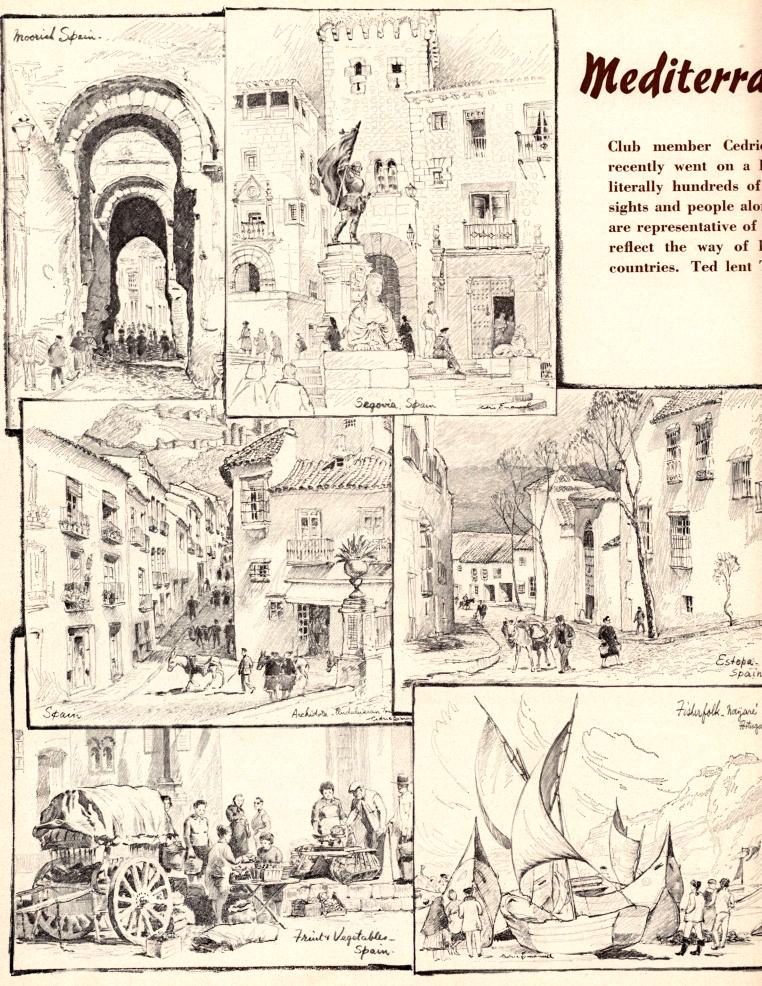
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Entertainment compered by Jimmy Brunton-Gibb with popular baritone James Wilson and juggling and uni-cycling team Des and Bev Britton.

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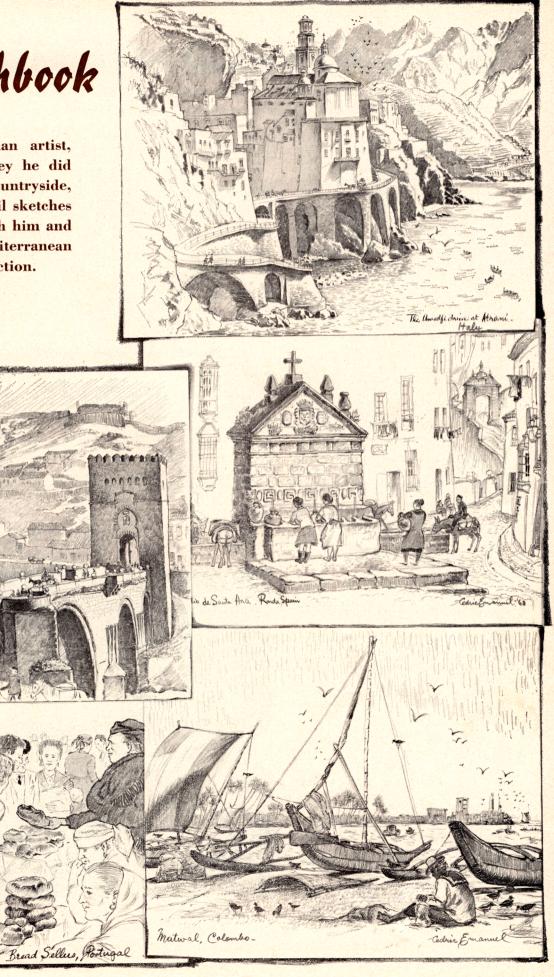
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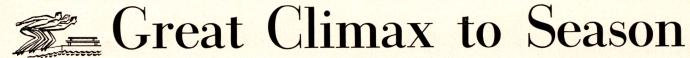
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nuel, well known Australian artist, an trip. During his journey he did tes and paintings of the countryside, way. These delightful pencil sketches lection he brought back with him and d architecture of the Mediterranean these sketches for reproduction.





A grand win by Olympic champion John Devitt, over David Emanuel for the Club Swimming Championship, and the "Native Son" Trophy to John Dexter Junior, climaxed a great season in the pool.

The "JD's" had it in the Pool in the last month of the swimming season when John Devitt won the Club Championship and John Dexter, Junior, collected the "Native Son" trophy for most points scored during the season.

Right with them in the month's honours was Paul Blake with a fine win in the monthly Point Score over unlucky Col Bowes.

Dexter had appeared a certainty for Bill Kirwan's "Native Son" trophy for some months but the battle for the minor placings was a real thriller.

Ken Humphery had been on top or chasing Dexter for the leading position all the season and looked sure to gain at least second place, but he was off colour for a while and lost his best form. Even when he missed the last but one race of the season it looked as if he would land second place, but Les Foley, who has been in great form recently, won the last final and pipped Ken on the post by a single point.

Jim Comans was well in the running for a place but faded a bit towards the end and was three and a half points away in fourth place well ahead of Paul Blake and Col Bowes.

The final of the Club Championship was witnessed by a big crowd of members who saw a really good race. David Emanuel and the title-holder, John Devitt, winner of the Olympic title in 1960 in Rome, were well together at the turn, but in the last half-lap Devitt drew away to win by about a yard in 18.6 secs., which was half a second worse than his club record.

The battle between Paul Blake and ex-Olympian Bill Kendall for third place was a cracker with Paul just touching off his famous rival in 19.6 secs., less than a yard behind Emanuel.

The trophies for this event were donated by Alf Collins, as has been the case for many years. Alf was on deck

It was good to see Ralph Corrick and David Keating back with us again after their overseas jaunts. Both said they enjoyed their trips and they certainly look none the worse for them.

It's not often that we have a new swimmer for the last race of the season, but this year we had Ken Upton who celebrated the occasion by winning a heat first up. Hope to see you next season, Ken.

Sympathy for Bruce Cameron who cracked his time in the last race and lost a second. He'll probably be quite happy about that as Bruce is a real trier and has improved a lot.

Well, the 1962/1963 season has ended on a very happy note and the boys will not be in action again until early in October. In the meantime they will be keeping fit with Handball and working in the Pool so that they will be in form for 1963/1964.

In September or October the Swimming Club will hold its annual function for the presentation of trophies. The actual form of this "do" has not yet been decided but all members and pool habitues will be duly notified.

The 1962/1963 season goes down as one of the best on record. One hundred members started in the races and the club had a dozen members who did not compete but who rarely missed an event and who knew the form from "go" to "whoa."

In all, thirty-eight events were swum

off and this necessitated 389 separate races in heats and finals. Thanks go to the officials for the manner in which they kept things moving and ran such a large number of events to schedule, or very close to it.

An average of thirty-six swimmers for each race came under Starter Sam Block's orders, with largest field numbering fifty-six.

The honours for most races contested go to John Dexter, Junior. He did not miss a race all the season, whilst Paul Blake and Les Foley only missed one each. There's enthusiasm for you.

JUNE POINT SCORE

This series resulted: P. Blake (28 points) 1, C. Bowes (24) 2, L. Foley (21\frac{1}{2}) 3, J. O. Dexter, S. Kay and N. Rogers (18) 4, B. Cameron, S. Heaton and R. Harris (17), 7, H. Bate and J. C. Brice (16\frac{1}{2}) 10, C. Coppa (15\frac{1}{2}) 12, A. Hickey (15) 13, J. Comans, T. Forrest, P. Lindesy and G. Williams (14) 14 P. Lindsay and G. Williams (14) 14.

RESULTS

25th JUNE.-40 Yards Handicap.-1st **Division Final**—B. Cameron (30) 1, P. Blake (20) 2, C. Bowes (25) 3, Time 29 secs. 2nd Division Final—L. Foley (22) 1, J. O. Dexter (22) and J. Devitt (18) 3. Time 21.6 secs.

40 YARDS CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

1st Heat—J. Devitt (18.9 secs.) 1, L. Foley (22.8) 2, F. Falson (22.9) 3. 2nd Heat—D. Emanuel (18.9) 1, P. Blake (19.6) 2, T. Forrest (22) 3. 3rd Heat—W. Kendall (20) 1, N. Rogers (20.4) 2, B. Shields (24.5) 3.

FINAL

J.	Devitt (18.6)	1
D.	Emanuel (19.1)	2
P.	Blake (19.6)	3

"NATIVE SON" POINT SCORE

Final results of this series for all points scored during the season were:-J. O. Dexter, 185½ points J. O. Dexter, $185\frac{1}{2}$ points 1 L. Foley, $164\frac{1}{2}$ points 2 K. Humphery, $163\frac{1}{2}$ points 3 J. V. Comans (160 4, P. Blake (143) 5, C. Bowes ($135\frac{1}{2}$) 6, C. Coppa and N. Rogers ($133\frac{1}{2}$) 7, R. Corrick (133) 9, D. Dind (127) 10, A. McLelland ($125\frac{1}{2}$) 11, C. Godhard ($124\frac{1}{2}$), 12, G. Williams (122) 13, T. Forrest ($117\frac{1}{2}$) 14, J. Devitt (117) 15, R. Harris ($115\frac{1}{2}$) 16, H. Bate ($113\frac{1}{2}$) 17, B. Cameron ($111\frac{1}{2}$) 18, J. C. Brice ($108\frac{1}{2}$) 19, C. L. Bear (107) 20, K. Glass (103) 21, S. Kay (102) 22.



Alf Collins, donor of Club Championship trophy, with the four finalists, Dave Emanuel, John Devitt, Paul Blake and Bill Kendall, after the event.

Good Start with New President

The bowling section got away to a new start under the guidance of our recently elected President, Harold Hill.

A record attendance of fifty-four members and their friends made 25th July a memorable day in the history of the bowling section.

Arthur Willock, on behalf of the President of Double Bay, congratulated Harold Hill and wished him a successful year as President. Harold suitably replied and assured all present that he would try to make this year the best ever for Tattersall's Bowlers.

Amongst the distinguished guests was Hilton Richardson, former President of The Royal Bowling Association of N.S.W.

Also present were the President of Vaucluse, C. Vanderford, and Les Fingleton, representing Waverley.

Trophy winners were visitors J. Garth, K. Callaghan and C. Sun, with 24 points. Runners-up were F. Empson, H. Richardson and H. Kirby.

President Harold welcomed new members Norm Elson, Dr. John Ryan and Norman Berrick.

Around about fifty members have nominated for the pairs handicap. This event will be held in the near future on a Tuesday or Thursday morning. The venue will be at one or all of the following clubs: Vaucluse, Waverley, or City. Players will be notified as to their

draw and place of play by the Secretary.

Two new members are Adrian Button and Ken Gayfer. They are yet to put in an appearance with us, but they will be assured of a good game and also a hearty welcome when they do.

Congratulations to President Harold Hill in winning the final of the City Bowling Club's singles championship on July 23rd. This is Harold's fourth win in this event. Harold has also been

Barber Shop Appointments

Members are advised that they can make appointments in the

CLUB BARBER SHOP

between 10 a.m. - 4.30 p.m.

TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY chosen to represent N.S.W. against Queensland early in August.

Harold's performance to win 14 games out of 18 as Skipper for N.S.W. makes him almost an automatic selection these days, but there is no doubt he still holds his form.

Treasurer Alick Buckle had a nice win in the Gold Coast Carnival fours final. Leading for Bob Sharpe with C. Wyatt and G. Longhurst they beat the pick of bowlers from both Queensland and New South Wales.

Alick has been going north for many years, enjoying the sunshine and bowls. Also at the carnival were Lew Moss, Homer Jones, Jack Pick, Ken Williams, Ken Ranger, Ron Relton, and Peter McGrath. All report a good time, but Alick was the only one to have any success on the bowling side.

The Round Robin between Brisbane Tatt's, Newcastle Tatt's, and City Tatt's is to be organised again this year. As we were the winners last year it is hoped that we will be the guest club on this occasion.

Selectors this year are Lew Moss, Jack Pick, and Noel Hough. They assure members that they will get good games and a big variety of opponents and partners.

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Early Snooker "Boil-Overs"

If a simple phrase was needed to summarise the Snooker Tournament to date, it would be "boil-overs," for the anticipated order of things has been truly upset in the matches played to date. However, the play has been interesting and the dropping of billiards from the annual championships seems to have met with general approval.

Games played since our last issue have resulted in a string of boil-overs. Many name players have failed to survive the vagaries of snooker, and almost all games played have provided close and spectacular finishes with many having "tied" on the black.

Bert Tonks v. David Dind.—In this game, from "go to whoa," "Happy-Go-Lucky" Bert suffered the stings and arrows of outrageous misfortune; whatever David had to do "to do" him, he did. When the colours were reached, Bert was snookered shot after shot, and he must have thought he had a death adder by the tail. Despite his luck, all bad, he managed to get to the black for a win. Bert played an excellent safe shot, David walked to the table and whack, down went the black and Bert's down.

Alec Lash v. Eric Westhoff.-This game had an extraordinary beginning, no doubt the first time a stripper has got into the act. After the usual on my right, etc., imagine the unnerving effect on a player to have his opponent start to undress; to the relief of all, he desisted when various garments had been rearranged to give a somewhat streamlined effect. Alec looked rather like a silver fox and, playing with all the cunning of one, tied Eric up to such an extent that in trying to break loose he kindly cocked up the shots for Alec to put away. Alec, a good winner, his best game to date.

George Mousally v. Alf Gott.—Well, well, it happened again. George, the complete cueist, his style and technique something to envy, looking smooth, capable and trained to the minute, like a thoroughbred with all the signs of a sure winner. What happened? Nobody knows, except Alf, the last of the straight-backs, won, and George still retains his title of One Round Mousally.

Larry Howarth v. Charlie Dunk.—Where is that colourful cove, Larry the Dasher, in the past always good for an act? Both players adopted the "exhaust" method of play, tip and run until you wear your man down. The game lasted for 95 minutes before a decision was reached. Players, officials, and spectators (those left except the snores) all about to go up the wall. The best endurance test so far. Larry fell past the post first.

Hughie Elliott v. Ken Ranger.—This game see-sawed and created great excitement as both players had strong followings. Ken still retains a deal of his old skill, but failed to cope with "The Butch," who showed the benefit of a somewhat costly training routine. Rumour hath it that Hughie was secretly pleased at the absence of his coach and adviser, the "Piper's Son." Hard luck, Ken, you drew the handicapper's pet.

If attendance is any criterion, changes made this year are a success. Members will remember in recent years watching billiards players, with a few exceptions, struggling to reach 250. It is doubtful if a game of billiards has been played in the club since the last tournament. Snooker has become the popular game. The last great overseas player to visit this country, Joe Davis, was a snooker player. The game has far greater spectator appeal than the seldom-played billiards.

Changes usually create a few soreheads, but tradition is a stuffy word if allowed to stand in the way of moving with the times.

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